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## **VIA ECF**

The Honorable Richard M. Berman United States District Judge Daniel Patrick Moynihan U.S. Courthouse 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007

RE: United States v. Mitchell McPhee 19 Cr. 745 (RMB)

Dear Judge Berman:

I write with the consent of the Government to respectfully request that the Court adjourn Mr. McPhee's pretrial conference scheduled for Thursday, June 24, 2020 for at least 60 days due to the continuing COVID-19 crisis and the need for an in-person meeting with Mr. McPhee that is not possible under current conditions. Moreover, I will be going on parental leave soon so this will allow a new attorney from our office to get up to speed on this case. The defense waives speedy trial time.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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